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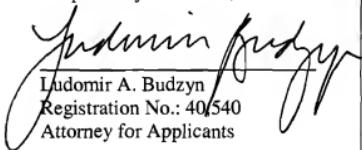
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Favorable action is earnestly solicited.

If there are any questions or if additional information is required, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Applicants' attorney at the number listed below.

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